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# SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW

# Attendees, Date and Type of Interview

The interview was conducted on July 1,2008 and attended by Examiner Anu Ramana and the undersigned.

#### Exhibits and/or Demonstrations

A model of two adjacent vertebral bodies with a stabilization device implanted in accordance with the claimed invention.

# Identification of Claims Discussed

Primarily Claim 18.

# Identification of Prior Art Discussed

U.S. Patent No. 5,527,312 to Ray.

# Proposed Amendments

Amendments were proposed along the line of those made herein.